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During the week of June 23-27, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service announced 5 commodity purchases totaling 12,751,136 pounds at a cost of \$11,786,000.

The purchases were: dried pitted prunes, raisins; canned beef, frozen ground beef, and frozen beef carcasses (purchased by the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC)). The frozen ground beef program is nearing completion. This is the first purchase under the frozen beef carcass program.

Offers were invited for: raisins; canned beef, frozen ground beef, frozen beef carcasses, bulk frozen ground beef (100% beef), and frozen ground beef patties (100% beef).

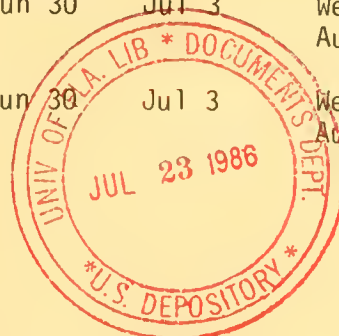
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WEEK'S PURCHASES

OFFERS INVITED

Commodity	Quantity ¹ / (1,000 lbs.)	Cost ¹ / (\$1,000)	Award range ² / 	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Prunes, dried, pitted	1,078	582	\$12.43- 14.10	Aug 16- Oct 31	:	"NONE"	:
Raisins	1,843	1,000	\$21.56- 21.95	Aug 1- Sep 30	Jul 8	Jul 15	Sep 1- Oct 31
Beef, canned	1,873 (45,599)	2,219 (55,015)	\$1.1847- --	Week of Aug 3	Jun 30	Jul 3	Week of Aug 10
Ground beef, frozen	3,157 (106,029)	3,032 (101,869)	\$0.9594- 0.9619	Week of Aug 3	Jun 30	Jul 3	Week of Aug 10



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Commodity	Quantity ^{1/} (1,000 lbs.)	Cost ^{1/} (\$1,000)	Award range ^{2/}	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Beef carcasses, frozen	4,800	4,953	\$0.8900- 1.0900 ^{3/}	Jul 6- Jul 19	Jul 1	Jul 3	Jul 13- Jul 19
Ground beef, bulk frozen		"NONE"			Jul 11	Jul 18	Aug 17- Aug 31
Ground beef, frozen patties		"NONE"			Jul 18	Jul 25	Aug 24- Aug 30

^{1/} Upper figure is current week's purchase. Lower figure, in parentheses, is cumulative total for the ongoing purchase program.

^{2/} In dollars per pound--except dried pitted prunes and raisins--dollars per case.

^{3/} Steer and heifer carcasses - \$0.9600 to \$1.0900 per pound;
cow carcasses - \$0.8900 to \$1.0400 per pound.

AWARDS

FROZEN BEEF CARCASSES

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT F.O.B. DESTINATION (U.S. Port of Export)	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
STEER AND HEIFER CARCASSES:		
ALTA VERDE BEEF PACK, LTD. EAGLE PASS, TX GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 40,000 LBS.	40,000	0.9650
CONSOLIDATED BEEF INDUSTRIES, INC. GREEN BAY, WI GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 480,000 LBS.	240,000	1.0595
CONSOLIDATED BEEF INDUSTRIES, INC. HURON, SD GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 480,000 LBS.	240,000	1.0595
HARRIS RANCH BEEF CO. SELMA, CA GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 160,000 LBS.	160,000	1.0396
IBP, INC. AMARILLO, TX GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 400,000 LBS.	400,000	0.9858
MONFORT OF COLORADO, INC. GREELEY, CO GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 400,000 LBS.	400,000	1.0660
JOHN MORRELL & COMPANY SIOUX CITY, IA GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 160,000 LBS.	160,000	1.0071
MOYER PACKING CO. SOUDERTON, PA GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 120,000 LBS.	120,000	1.0585
SUNLAND BEEF COMPANY TOLLESON, AZ GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 1,200,000 LBS.	1,200,000	1.0900

FROZEN BEEF CARCASSES - Continued

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT F.O.B. DESTINATION (U.S. Port of Export)	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
SUNSTAR FOODS, INC. SOUTH ST. PAUL, MN GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 120,000 LBS.	120,000	0.9700
TAMA MEAT PKG. CORP. TAMA, IA GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 160,000 LBS.	160,000	1.0375
UNION PACKING CO. ARIZONA PHOENIX, AZ GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 200,000 LBS.	200,000	0.9600
COW CARCASSES:		
CAVINESS PKG. CO., INC. HEREFORD, TX GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 40,000 LBS.	40,000	1.0020
CONSOLIDATED BEEF INDUSTRIES, INC. GREEN BAY, WI GLOUCESTER, NJ CONSOLIDATED BEEF INDUSTRIES, INC. HURON, SD GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 240,000 LBS.	120,000	1.0295
SUNLAND BEEF COMPANY TOLLESON, AZ GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 400,000 LBS.	400,000	1.0400
UNION PACKING CO. ARIZONA PHOENIX, AZ GULFPORT, MS TOTAL AWARDED - 200,000 LBS.	200,000	0.8900
WESTERN VALLEY PACKING CO. SCOTTSBLUFF, NE GLOUCESTER, NJ TOTAL AWARDED - 480,000 LBS.	480,000	0.9732

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AWARDS

CANNED BEEF

Company & Shipping Point (F.O.B. Origin)	No. Lbs.	Price \$/lb.
LAKEVIEW PACKING CO. PLAINVIEW, MN	1,872,936	1.1847
TOTAL AWARDED - 1,872,936 LBS.		

FROZEN GROUND BEEF

COMPANY & SHIPPING POINT (F.O.B. ORIGIN)	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
BLUE RIBBON MEATS, INC. MIAMI, FL	77,000	0.9619
TOTAL AWARDED - 77,000 LBS.		
NORTHERN STATES BEEF, INC. OMAHA, NE	1,540,000	0.9594
" "	1,540,000	0.9614
TOTAL AWARDED - 3,080,000 LBS.		

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AWARDS

COMPANY AND SHIPPING POINT		PRICE	NO. CASES PER CASE
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RAISINS
48/1 LB.

ENOCN PACKING CO.			
DEL REY	CA	3,200	\$21.56
TOTAL AWARDED:	3,200	PRICE:	\$21.56

BONNER PACKING CO			
LOCANS	CA	35,200	\$21.95
TOTAL AWARDED:	35,200	PRICE:	\$21.95

ITEM NO.	DESTINATION	NO. UNITS	PRICE PER UNIT
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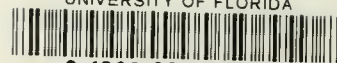
DRIED PRUNES
25 LB.

SUNSWET GROWERS INC			
YUBA CITY	CA		
1	NEW YORK CITY, NY	1,540	13.71
2	ELMIRA, MI	400	13.59
"	LANSING, MI	1,140	"
3	KALAMAZOO, MI	700	13.38
"	HOLLAND, MI	840	"
4	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	1,540	13.10
5	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,540	12.46
6	SACRAMENTO, CA	1,540	12.43
7	ALBANY, NY	770	13.90
"	BINGHAMTON, NY	770	"
8	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,540	12.46
9	SACRAMENTO, CA	1,540	12.43
10	UTICA, NY	770	13.84
"	BUFFALO, NY	770	"
11	MARLBORO, NY	1,540	14.00
12	MADISON, WI	770	13.60
"	EAU CLAIRE, WI	770	"
13	GREEN BAY, WI	770	13.62
"	MILWAUKEE, WI	770	"
14	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,540	12.77
15	SACRAMENTO, CA	1,540	12.65
16	WESTBURG L.I., NY	3,080	13.96
17	SAINT PAUL, MN	2,680	13.47
"	DULUTH, MN	400	"
18	WESTBURG L.I., NY	4,620	13.97
19	PORTLAND, ME	1,540	13.98
20	PORT NEWARK, NJ	1,540	13.86
21	VINELAND, NJ	1,540	13.88
22	HELENA, MT	940	13.40
"	BISMARCK, ND	600	"
23	SEATTLE, WA	1,155	13.08
"	SPOKANE, WA	385	"
24	HONOLULU, HI	1,540	14.10
TOTAL AWARDED:	43,120	RANGE:	\$12.43-14.10



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